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FEDERAL MILK MARKET ADMINISTRATOR
OZARKS MARKETING AREA

STATISTICAL SUMMARY FOR FEBRUARY, 1968

(Based on Handlers' Reports of Receipts and Utilization)

	February 1968	January 1968	February 1967	February 1966
Total Class I Milk (Pounds) <u>a/</u>	18,536,241	19,836,025	18,990,728	19,452,211
Total Class II Milk	9,081,713	8,509,426	8,751,609	4,467,982
Total	27,617,954	28,345,451	27,742,337	23,920,193
Total Daily Class I Milk (Pounds)				
Inside Marketing Area	436,387	434,564	445,734	432,477
Outside Marketing Area	202,794	205,308	232,506	262,245
Total Daily Class I Milk	639,181	639,872	678,240	694,722
February Daily Class I Milk Compared With:		-0.11%	-5.76%	-7.99%
Total Producer Milk (Pounds)	25,559,273	26,390,288	27,036,889	22,939,461
Approved Milk From Outside Sources <u>a/</u>	2,057,987	1,955,163	704,618	980,732
Overage	694	-0-	830	-0-
Total Milk Received	27,617,954	28,345,451	27,742,337	23,920,193
Average Daily Producer Milk	881,354	851,300	965,603	819,266
February Daily Producer Milk Compared With:		+3.53%	-8.73%	+7.58%
Percent Producer Milk is of Class I Milk	137.9%	133.0%	142.4%	117.9%
Number of Producers	1,069	1,064	1,319	1,249
Daily Pounds of Milk Delivered Per Farm	824	800	732	656
Producers' Average Butterfat Test	3.823%	3.976%	3.914%	4.005%
Utilization at Pool Plants:				
Gross Class I Milk	17,778,808	17,915,256	18,358,136	18,615,989
Daily Gross Class I Milk	613,062	577,911	655,648	664,857
February Daily Gross Class I Milk Compared With:		+6.08%	-6.50%	-7.79%
Daily Other Source Milk in Class I	43,106	165	-0-	-0-
Producer Milk in Class I	16,512,376	17,910,142	18,358,136	18,615,694
Percent of Producer Milk in Class I	64.6%	67.9%	67.9%	81.2%
Percent Producer Milk is of Gr. Cl. I	143.8%	147.3%	147.3%	123.2%
Class I Price:				
F.O.B. Marketing Area	\$5.16	\$5.16	\$5.11	\$4.53
F.O.B. Washington & Benton Co., Ark.	5.41	5.41	5.36	4.78
Class II Price	4.00	4.01	4.02	3.58
Uniform Price:				
F.O.B. Marketing Area	4.74	4.78	4.76	4.35
F.O.B. Washington & Benton Co., Ark.	4.99	4.99	4.90	4.495
Value of Producer Milk <u>b/</u>	\$1,211,509.54	\$1,261,455.77	\$1,286,955.92	\$997,866.55
Value of Producer Milk Per Farm <u>b/</u>	1,133.31	1,185.58	975.71	798.93
Butterfat Differential to Handlers-Cl.I	8.0¢	8.1¢	8.0¢	7.1¢
Butterfat Differential to Handlers-Cl.II	7.6¢	7.6¢	7.6¢	7.1¢
Butterfat Differential to Producers	7.6¢	7.6¢	7.6¢	7.1¢

a/ Includes packaged Class I milk distributed on routes inside the marketing area by nonpool plants. In February, 1968 this distribution amounted to 757,433 pounds.

b/ F.O.B. Marketing Area, 3.5% Butterfat.

March, 1968 Class I Price:

F.O.B. Marketing Area	\$5.16
F.O.B. Washington & Benton Co., Arkansas	\$5.41
Class I Butterfat Differential to Handlers	\$.080

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Wisc.-Minn. Mfg. Grade Milk Price (3.5% B.F.)	\$4.00	\$4.01	\$4.02	\$3.58
92-Score Butter Price, Chicago	66.44¢	66.44¢	66.47¢	61.80¢
Spray Process Powder Price	19.46¢	19.42¢	19.46¢	14.59¢
Utilization of Class I (Pounds) <u>a/</u>				
Fluid Milk	14,743,903	16,007,078	15,540,920	16,286,853
Low Fat Milk	1,089,024	1,111,020	785,910	480,884
Skim Milk	957,485	932,607	885,965	940,682
Buttermilk	679,683	678,310	610,318	576,414
Flavored Milk and Milk Drinks	832,181	900,824	928,148	910,501
Fluid Cream Under 18%	180,879	189,437	183,200	195,382
Fluid Cream 18% Under 30%	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-
Fluid Cream 30% and Over	16,445	11,862	14,841	15,008
Sour Cream	1,786	1,501	1,621	42,173
Total Class I Products	18,501,386	19,832,639	18,950,923	19,447,897
Excess Shrinkage	34,855	3,386	39,805	4,314
Inter-Handler Transactions	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-
Total Class I Utilization	18,536,241	19,836,025	18,990,728	19,452,211

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